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Alcohol deciding factor in brawl

by Kevin Sager

On Wednesday, Jan 12 at 7:00 pm. a group of East Indian males approached a few Caucasian students standing outside the entrance of the Greenery.

One of the East Indians, who was visibly intoxicated, taunted one of the students about the colour of his jacket. The comments were intended to incite a reaction so that when the insulted student did not react, the taunter struck him when he was not looking.

A brawl ensued between three of the East Indians and two of the students. As the brawl accelerated, the Campus police were alerted and two officers arrived the scene. The police successfully broke the combatants apart, and the East Indians started leaving the building. However, at that moment a male student entered the lobby and claimed that he had been hit in the parking lot earlier in the evening by one of the attackers.

This student was acquainted with the students who had been assaulted and his arrival caused a large, brawl, which lasted for approximately 5-10 minutes. At this point, two Peel Regional Police officers were called onto the scene. One man has been charged and arrested for starting the fight, and another suffered a cut, bleeding nose but no other serious injuries.

According to Campus Police Officer Cameron Yardy, the East Indians were not Erindale students. The campus police also said that the instigator was clearly under the influence of alcohol but they did not comment on the intoxication of the other East Indians. Currently none of those involved have been banned from the campus.

An onlooker later described the situation as, "Really silly... it was just pathetic."

"The Campus Police should have had it under control," said another. "They should have kicked those guys out from the start."

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WHAT'S ON!

ON CAMPUS

Residence Centre Seminars

Sunday, January 23 - Kelly Walker
Role of Spirituality in Wellness
\$8 student, \$12 non-student
10am-12noon

February 6 - Micheal Burgess
March 6 - Ken Dryden

For tickets call 828-5260

Volunteer Opportunity Info Night

Are you a victim of sexual assault and/or rape?
Do you know a victim of sexual assault?

Are you concerned about the issue of sexual assault and sexual abuse?

We need your help in designing programs for a community based sexual assault/rape crisis centre.

Please call (905) 273-3337
Meeting scheduled at Erindale Campus Jan. 24/94
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Sponsored by The Sexual Assault/Rape Crisis Centre of Peel
Council Chambers Monday January 24, 6:00 p.m.

HEART & STROKE FOUNDATION

Heart & Stroke Foundation is asking you to butt out on Wed. Jan. 19 for *Weedless Wednesday*. Come see our table during the Volunteer Fair from 11-2pm.

Thank you for helping.

Heart & Stroke foundation wishes to thank all that participated in the swim for heart. Thanks for coming out.

NEW AWARD

The University of Toronto Alumni Association (UTAA) is pleased to announce the creation of a new award; Gordon Cressy Awards, created this year as a tribute to the outgoing Vice-President will recognize up to 60 students for their contribution to the University of Toronto community. Nominations will be considered from all members of the University community. Please contact Barbara Dick at 978-2366.

TALKING HEADS!

Do you feel that your degree will give you a good chance in the job market after your graduation?

Laurie Bamford
NO.

Kelley Kirk
NO.

Quote of the week

"I can score too..."

Anythony Greer, after being listed as a "Suspension Prospect" in the EBHL preview. Incidentally Greer scored a vital goal for the Angels this week.

FOX & FIDDLE CHALLENGE

What team won the first Superbowl?

Bring you answers to the medium II office. We will draw for the correct answer on Friday. Winner will receive a \$10. gift certificate compliments of the Fox & Fiddle. Deadline & Draw on Friday

It's hot! It's Summer Job Fair '94

On Thursday February 3, 1994 the University of Toronto Career Centre is hosting its annual Summer Job Fair. This event will be held at University College, East and West Halls, between 11am to 3pm.

ERINDALE BIOLOGY SEMINARS



Fridays
12:00 noon
Rm. 3127
South Bldg.

FALL 1994

Date	Speaker	Title
January 14	Dr. Paul Horgen Department of Botany Erindale Campus University of Toronto	Dutch Elm disease, approaching an old problem with the new biology: getting some answers.
January 21	Dr. Allen Moore Department of Entomology University of Kentucky	The evolution of sexual dimorphism in a dragonfly: sexual selection and potential constraints. (Host: Brad Anholt)
January 28	Dr. Gary Paterno Faculty of Medicine Memorial University	The role of growth factors in the regulation of embryonic development. (Hosts: Dan O'Day and Gary Filion)
Wednesday February 2	Dr. Gary Scrimgour Department of Zoology University of Alberta	Foraging while avoiding predators: linking short-term foraging tactics to long-term fitness. (Host: Rob Baker)
February 4	Dr. Naomi Cappuccino Department of Biological Sciences University of Quebec at Montreal	Population stability in herbivorous insects: why some species are not pests. (Host: Brad Anholt)
February 11	Dr. Charles Ramcharan Department of Biology York University	Truth, simple truth, and the trophic cascade. (Host: Nick Collins)
February 18 February 25	READING WEEK BIORAMA	TBA
March 4	Dr. David Weadon Department of Botany St. George Campus University of Toronto	(Host: Esther Levesque)
March 11	Andrew Mason Department of Zoology Erindale Campus University of Toronto	Hearing and communication in the Monster Haglid. (Host: Glenn Morris)
March 18	Dr. John Jaenike Department of Biology University of Rochester	Host-parasite interactions: from physiological to community ecology. (Host: Brad Anholt)
March 25	Dr. William Plaxton Department of Biology Queen's University	Metabolic flexibility of phosphate starved plants. (Host: George Espie)
April 1	GOOD FRIDAY	
April 8	Dr. Michael Koonce Wadsworth Center for Labs and Research New York State Department of Health	Molecular characterization of the microtubule-based motor enzyme, dynein. (Host: Tim Westwood)



NEWS

NEWS IN BRIEF

READING WEEK SHUTTLE BUS SCHEDULE

Westbound to Erindale Campus:

Departs Medical Sciences Building: 9:15 am, 1:15 pm, 6:15 pm

Eastbound to St. George Campus:

Departs North Building: 8:15 am, 12:15 pm, 5:15 pm

IMPORTANT:

1) Buses resume regular schedule February 21, 1994.

2) Fares: Staff \$2.80 all trips (Pink Tickets), Students \$2.80 Commuter Trips (9:15 a.m., 6:15 p.m. from St. George, 8:15 a.m., 5:15 p.m. from Erindale) \$1.40 all other trips (Yellow Tickets)

3) Tickets available during Reading week in Room 154-10:30 to 12:00 and 1:15 to 4:00 and Hart House.

HEART AND STROKE FOUNDATION "KICK-OFF"

The Erindale Chapter of the Heart and Stroke Foundation invite students to attend their Flag-Raising to officially start their February fund-raising drive. The annual event is a brief ceremony that will take place at the Flag Poles in front of the South building on Monday, January 31, 1994, 12:15 p.m.

FORUM ON BREAST CANCER

The St. Lawrence Centre, at 27 Front Street East, will be holding a forum on the subject of breast cancer on Tuesday, January 25, 8 p.m. Panelists will include many prominent doctors and specialists on the subject of breast cancer, as well as cancer in general.

SPECIAL GUEST LECTURE: THE NEW WORLD ORDER

Professor John Gerard Ruggie, Professor of Political Science and Dean of the School of International and Public Affairs at Columbia University, is delivering an address on the subject of America's role in the new global reality. The address will take place on Monday, January 31, at 5:00 pm, at the George Ignatief Theatre, Trinity College.

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Erindale helps former East Bloc

by Kevin Sager

Thanks to the generosity of the Economics department of the University of Toronto, the former communist nations of Eastern Europe will be receiving a donation of 3 tons of textbooks relating to the function of a market economy.

According to Sharon Bolt, who has organized a great deal of the effort, Economics professors from all of the campuses at the University of Toronto chipped in to provide the books and journals which, they hope, will prove useful to the up and coming business leaders and teachers of that part of the world.

For the better part of half a century, the East European countries lived under totalitarian governments which tightly controlled and planned the economic activity of their citizens. As a result,



The U of T collected three tons of books for Eastern Europe.

the people now have no working experience with the operation of a market system. It is hoped that initiatives such as this may assist this part of the world in making a successful transition to a market

economy.

"People here have been so generous," said Sharon Bolt. "I think it's wonderful." Plans are also underway to elicit similar charity from Business Schools.

Volunteer Fair to assist job search

by Steve Smith

The Erindale College Career Centre will be hosting a 'Volunteer Fair' this Wednesday, January 19th from 11 a.m. until 2 p.m. in order to assist students in

their efforts to find employment in the increasingly difficult job market. The Fair will enable students to investigate the many methods of volunteerism that are available to them by meeting personally with a representative of

the organization of their choice.

The Fair comes as a follow-up to the 'Career Experience Through Volunteerism' program launched earlier this year.

"Employers were approached in the hopes of compiling a list of interesting and relevant volunteer opportunities for Erindale students," said Paul Paradine, a student volunteer with the Career Centre.

"The efforts were concentrated in four areas: elementary and secondary schools, community agencies, businesses, and volunteer opportunities within the College itself. So far, the response has been great. For example, over 103 local schools have now posted teaching-related positions with the Centre." According to



The Food Bank is an excellent example of volunteerism at Erindale.

CAREER CENTRE NEWS

HOW TO LAND A BETTER JOB?



Attend the summer job seminar on Wednesday Jan. 26 from 12 - 1. Meet at the CAREER CENTRE. Improve your approach! Discover more sources! Increase your chances!

Get a head start! Begin looking for a summer job today! Many positions have already been posted including:

EMPLOYER	JOB TITLE
Paramount Canada's Wonderland	Performers
Min. of Agriculture & Food	Various
Ontario Place	Various
Procter & Gamble	Summer Sales Posn.
Au Pair in Europe	Au Pair

More details at the CAREER CENTRE, Room 3094, South Bldg.

VOLUNTEER TODAY



Our Volunteer Registry now offers listings for volunteer positions available with departments at Erindale. Volunteering for your department can help you gain valuable career experience and develop contacts with faculty.

Sample Positions:

DEPARTMENT	JOB TITLE
Special Services	Notetaker
Biology	Lab & Field Assistant
Science	Research Publicist
Registrar's Office	Promotions Assistant
Professional Writing	Professional Writing Assistant

 Don't forget the Volunteer Fair Wed. Jan 19
11 a.m. - 2 p.m.
in the Meeting Place

We need to shout in order to be heard

I was out last night (Saturday) at a surprise party for a friend. Everything went according to plan, and he was somewhat surprised. During the course of the night, the topic of politics came up. Five of the guys including myself got into a heated (intelligent) discussion about our country's government. The main issue centered on representation and how effective "we the people" felt it was.

As in any discussion, there are always people who agree with one side and others who agree with the other side of an issue. And then there are always the fence sitters who are either in a state of confusion about what the two sides are trying to get across (so the fence sit - neither agree or disagree) or have absolutely nothing intelligent to contribute (except asking the deliberating sides to lower their voices).

What ultimately happened was that one of the guys agreed that there was a problem with representation but "we the people" were responsible for letting the problem get this bad. WHAT??!! His justification for the recent stagnation in our Canadian government's effectiveness in dealing with the "home" problems and "gouging" us with taxes was that

Paradine, the preceding opportunities are all listed at the Career Centre in the newly established Volunteer Registry, along with many others. Therefore, with the pleasing success of this program, the Career Centre decided to hold a Volunteer Fair in order to give Erindale students a first-hand opportunity to meet with organizations looking to enlist student volunteers.

"Over 40 organizations will be in attendance for interested individuals to speak with," said Evelyn Ennor, Director of the Erindale College Career Centre.

"Through volunteering with some of the groups that will be

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Want to know if classes are cancelled?

Callers to 978-SNOW will be informed whether or not classes are cancelled on any or all of the three campuses. A decision to cancel classes will be taken by the university administration only under the most severe weather conditions.

we should simply speak up and get involved.

Prima facie, my reaction was "How dare he blame us!" My and the others point of contention was that these government officials were elected to represent the interests of Canadians.

Our point was well supported by what we sighted as a self-serving government that makes decisions as easily as they can snap their fingers (admittedly, a layman's viewpoint of how the system works), and a government that continually takes from the average but not from the rich (all of us were frustrated with health care, UIC, Federal Tax, Income Tax, etc.). The point that prevailed after the smoke settled was that somebody had to do something in order for change to occur. Somebody had to say something, and say it LOUD. Again, frustration was expressed in the effectiveness of individual effort in making change.

With all that, I thought "what is our student government doing to serve our interests?? What is ECSU? What is our leader Mary Kosta doing? What? What?!" I invent our student leaders to speak up. Get me involved by making me interested in what you do for me! The floor is yours.

attending the Fair, students can develop the edge they need to compete in today's tough job market." In addition, Ennor says that there is volunteer opportunities for almost anyone at the Fair. Students can devote as little or as much time as they want to the organization(s) of their choice.

"Organizations enjoy the new perspectives and the efforts that the volunteers offer to them, so anytime a student can donate to them is appreciated," said Ennor.

"Also, there are lots of different positions to choose from, from the Metro Toronto School Board to the YMCA to the Girl Guides of Canada."

Drugs and society: To legalize or not to legalize

On The Left with Manfred Sittman

I don't really know how far "to the left" this opinion is but to me the idea of legalizing drugs is both thoughtless and irresponsible. To be perfectly honest, the moral argument in favor of maintaining the ban on drugs has no bearing on my argument. The two main arguments favoring legalization are that:

1. People are doing drugs anyway, so why not let the government regulate the industry and earn some tax revenue.

2. Alcohol is a drug, and it is legal, so why be morally judgmental?

In the first part, I have always found the weakest arguments to be those centred around the fact that people are going to do something anyway, therefore we should just make it legal. Through the same logic we should make incest legal in the southern United States. The answer is not to give up and give in on the war on drugs. The answer is to continue to educate or even indoctrinate the youth of our nation - and indeed our world - on the dangers of drug use. Oh sure, the government would make a mint from the sale and taxation of a legalized drug trade but how much would they really take in?

One has to consider that a legalized drug trade would almost certainly have to be accompanied by a government-sponsored rehabilitation program for those of us who "don't know when to say when". No doubt we would spend a good portion of these profits on curing the problems that are created by drug

use.

As for the idea that alcohol is some kind of equivalent to crack or heroin, I would like to hear a reformed junkie give his or her opinion on the subject. Even if only "soft" drugs such as hash or marijuana are legalized, the alcohol comparison argument does not hold water. A person can have a beer or two with dinner or out on the town and not get drunk.

Being able to drink legally does not mean one will automatically become intoxicated. However, I have yet to hear of someone who is happy to smoke just enough of a joint that he or she is not high at all. The aim of any drug use is to become high; that in itself is an indication of the irresponsibility of endorsing drug use.

Granted, there are medical uses for certain drugs and I would be the last to deny anyone who has some kind of ailment that may be pacified by whatever drug to do so. However there is a difference between a doctor allowing someone to numb the pain of bone cancer with a joint or two, and writing a blank cheque for junkies to roam our streets and schools.

Aside from the physiological and emotional results of drug use there are other "side effects" that must be considered. Many drug addicts fund their habits by stealing and/or prostitution. When levels of these activities skyrocket will the same people who argue for the legalization of should be legal call for the decriminalization of these also? After all, everyone will be doing it anyway, and just think of the money we could make, right?

One of the features of modern society, along with the increase in material comforts, is a disturbing trend towards the elimination of choice. While it is true that the growth in the power of the state over the past decades has helped increase the quality of living somewhat, it has done so partly at the expense of personal liberties. One of the areas in which the state has extended its power is in the ongoing prohibition against drugs.

Even when the transaction is consensual and non-violent, it is still, for some reason, illegal for an otherwise law-abiding citizen to buy mood-altering substances for his or her own consumption. People have been using, and abusing, narcotic substances for thousands of years, and I feel that enough is enough. Let's stop wasting our time trying to restrict their use. Ironically, the two drugs which appear to be responsible for the most deaths in this country, alcohol and tobacco, are perfectly legal and can be bought in any store. The laws against drugs are burdensome, unnatural, costly, and badly in need of an overhaul.

The question of drug legalization is one which would seem to cut across political and philosophical lines. Conservatives are split between those who advocate rather harsh measures for drug offenders, and those who see the drug industry as merely another sector of the economy. It is very likely that legalization would cut the number of thefts, murders, and extortions committed in this country by a significant percentage. It is worth noting that countries like Holland experienced a drop in the crime rate when they reformed their

On The Right with Kevin Sager

drug laws.

The social engineers on the left, however, feel that drugs are a societal problem-we all suffer when someone abuses drugs. While this may seem like someone's idea of a noble stand, it is blatantly wrong. The rest of us do not, and should not, suffer because of someone else's self-destructive tendencies-unless those tendencies involve an external act (such as driving a car), which could be dangerous to the rest of us.

It's a question of control. I put the question to you the reader; should we follow a Soviet mentality in which all of our moral, social and economic decisions are made for us by marginally-elected officials out of touch with modern realities?

When the President of the United States, along with two former Prime Ministers of Canada, have all admitted to experimenting with drug use, doesn't it seem a little hypocritical for the authorities to still punish the rest of us, whoever we may be, for doing the same?

Now, I'm not advocating that everyone should go out and smoke a joint just because certain politicians did so in their wild college days. Nor am I saying that we should all blatantly disregard the law and thumb our collective nose at authority. Rather, what is needed is a concerted effort on the part of citizens and lawmakers to repeal all of the current laws restricting individuals from using the drugs of their choice.

Panther renounces violence

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flicts of self and race, according to Al-Amin, is to serve Allah. The most righteous among men are seen as the doers of great deeds. To do good is a struggle, and this striving towards something higher than oneself is natural to man, and a cardinal aspect of Islam. Coupled with this is the concept of Jihad- an awareness of the self and others and a higher level of struggle. This struggle is seen as the highest goal of man.

It is on the basis of this belief that muslims are able to judge. The Qur'an is the holy word of Allah, and Allah tells mankind what is right and wrong.

Al-Amin stated that in his opinion, all ideologies of today's world are in a state of decline. Illustrating the turmoil of American society where murder and homosexuality are the rule rather than exceptions, Al-Amin sees man as incompetent in governing his own affairs.

"There is no New World Order," said Al-Amin, "only belief and disbelief."

The word Muslim means "one who submits", and submission to Allah is considered the most noble of all human activities. Al-

Amin spoke of religion as no more and no less than a way of life. Al-Amin went on to speak of fasting as a preparation for hunger. "It curbs the passions and causes readiness."

In closing he said, "the best among you is he who, when seen, reminds you of Allah." He refused applause, recognizing all praise as being due to Allah. He felt himself only to be a vehicle of the truth.

When asked why he converted to Islam, Al-Amin stated that there was no singular cause, but rather that it was an evolution. Essentially

nothing in him changed. He only became more of what he was.

Another student asked whether or not he still held any beliefs from the Black Panther party. His answer was that he still believed in the cause and promoted "right action".

Al-Amin also stated that he considered the faiths of Judaism and Christianity to be false and impure forms of the teachings of Allah. The Qu'ran was the only source of true writings.

How did he explain the success of modern society? His answer was that technology was not indicative of success. Man, who

had invented planes and automobiles, had despoiled his own environment. If society could not control its advances, it had not advanced.

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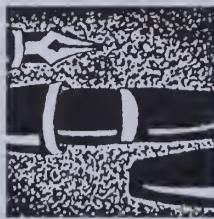
Nominations from groups and individuals are invited for the Erindale College Awards for Teaching Assistants. Nominations from students are encouraged. Anyone who is currently a Teaching Assistant at Erindale College or who was a Teaching Assistant during the past academic year is eligible to be nominated for an award.

If you wish to nominate an outstanding Teaching Assistant, you can receive further information from

*The Office of the Associate Dean (Science)
Room 2038, South Building
Erindale Campus
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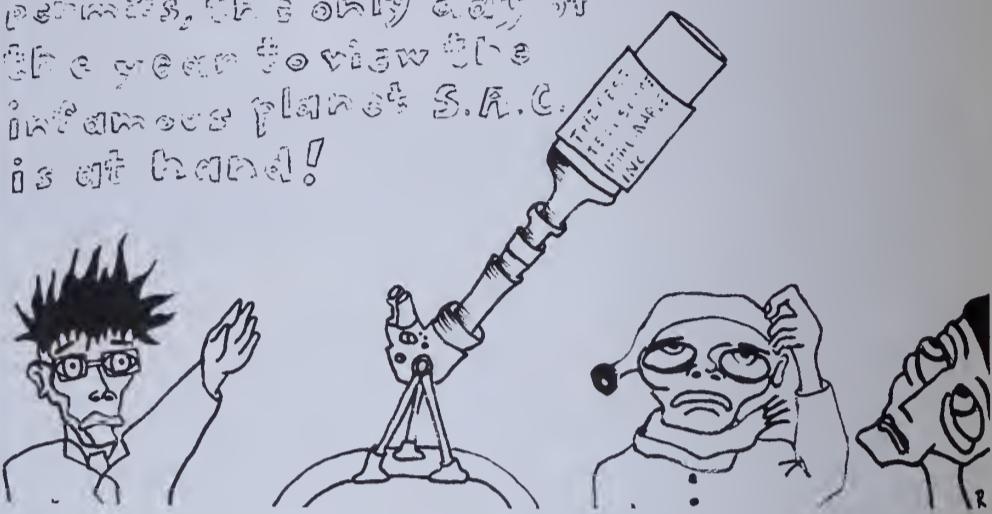
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Well, at last a reasonably productive meeting. At least some good came out of this weekend. I'm not enjoying January as much as I'd like. Good beer Jon. We'll see what we can do about the darkroom. I think the pens are at home. Everyone gets a free mock at my expense. Fucking printer. Good idea though Mell. It's getting late and I don't feel inspired so that's it. Meeting at 5:30 Wednesday. Miss you M.

Today Students, if weather permits, this only day of the year to view the informative planet S.A.C. is at hand!



What kind of SAC are we carrying?

Each year there descends upon the University a plague. It is neither locusts nor disease; it is the student elections. A variety of hopefuls pretend they can do a better job than has ever been done and fight to instill the voters with hope for the future. Of course it is never true and the disenchantment of the student body is reflected by the low turnouts at the polls.

This year's bunch of SAC hacks are proving that resumes are likely the primary motivating factors for candidates. Recently marred by controversy over inappropriate spending, SAC seems reluctant - or more likely, unable - to show they are capable of leading the students through times of difficulty. The SAC offices are purportedly open daily (Monday through Friday) from 9:00am to 5:00pm. In actuality it is a rare occurrence to get an answer during those hours. SAC has a voice mail system in operation which guides the caller through a variety of options until with luck you reach the person you wish to speak to. Of course this assumes you know the last name of the director in question.

True, there is a general mail box option but it doesn't seem to be very well maintained. Either that or SAC Directors actively choose not to return phone calls. Great representation. At this point a small concession may be granted. Downtown students may feel they are being properly represented and have no complaints. However in speaking with a few such students that seems improbable. Nevertheless, it is the Erindale focus which concerns us the most.

Theoretically there is a SAC Erindale. It is a reasonably large contingent, some eight strong, and should therefore be highly visible on a small campus. Instead of being offered a variety of events and services, well publicized for the students, Erindalians don't even know of the existence of a SAC branch here. It appears that SAC Erindale Chairperson Manny Bettencourt is merely a name given to questioning students. There have yet to be events stating to the students, "we're here and we want to serve you."

True, there was a barbecue set up on the five-minute walk earlier in the year but that was a sort of intestinal lip service. If SAC wants the students of U of T to believe in something - they certainly can't believe in the administration - it needs to be more dynamic and visible. It may be too late for the late years students - sorry SAC, it's unlikely you'll get many credit card subscribers this way - but maybe showing the first and second year students that SAC has some merit will result in a brighter future for a once useful organization.

Big Brother has become computer literate

This Christmas I was given a copy of John Levine's The Internet for Dummies. (The Dummy part has no real truth to it. It's just a title of course.) I was somewhat familiar with this computer network system and very anxious to learn more. No sooner had I familiarized myself with the glories of Internet, did I discover that it was in potential jeopardy as a resource. (Man, things move quickly in computerland!)

Internet was developed in the 1960s for United States military purposes. Two years ago the system was opened up to anyone in possession of a telephone, modem and specialized software. Users have been biding their time in hopes that society would never comprehend or learn about Internet, and would never interfere with it. Too late. Internet is spreading like wildfire outside of academia and into the business world and homes alike. Just last Tuesday an Internet information seminar held downtown drew a standing room crowd only. The appetite for knowledge is growing rapidly and with it, the system

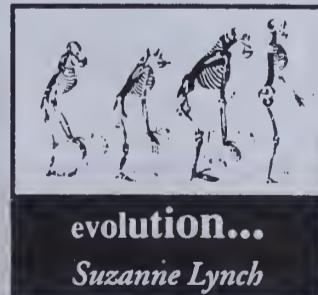
is potentially in danger of succumbing to censorship. Big Brother has become computer literate.

Currently, the Internet system is synonymous with freedom of speech and thought. The information that passes through computer lines is uncensored and has not been subjected to stringent laws and editing. It offers instant communication and data at the fingertips of people from all over the world. It is the planet's largest computer network freely exchanging unaltered data. There is a wealth of data available on any given topic in the form of: current journals, current events, books, languages, humour, Star Trek, and erotica etc. from all over the world. It cannot be stressed enough what an invaluable resource this is for humankind!

The real beauty of Internet is that it knows no distance and borders. In this

age of wars and walls, this technology has surpassed borders worldwide. It has linked us on a global level in his quest for knowledge at a time when he desperately needs some unifying forces. Stefan Mochnaki said it best in that "Internet is perhaps the world's only function anarchy, with informal democratic rules".

This precious commodity is being threatened by the clutches of forces such as censorship. Banning Internet data is unwarranted, unnecessary and potentially an infringement of our rights to valuable information. It was too good to be true! At the very least, censoring Internet would be a dictatorial violation of freedom, like so many forms of censorship today. It alarms me to think that someone may want to take this away from us when many of us have not had the chance to use it to its potential.



evolution...

Suzanne Lynch

Internet has recently received much media coverage with the Homolka-Teal trial publication ban. An Internet bulletin board system known as Usenet has made banned information about the trial accessible through the system. Data is retrievable from computers programmed to bypass and link directly with computers in the United States. This has produced controversy about the system causing a breach of the publication ban. The potential for misuse of the system has resulted in some raised eyebrows about the liberty of Internet.

U of T presently has 3,400 computers accessing Internet. Internet is an invaluable resource to people the world over. Should such murmurs of law enforcement, censorship doctrines be valid and enforced, we stand to lose a great deal in communication and research options. Use Internet as a reference and research tool before you no longer have this choice to make. Internet is not only a unifying force for people in distant countries, but it is the epitome of evolution and liberation for humanity.

LETTERS

Chicks with Sticks respond: Relax Chick!

Dear Editor,

A large number of women on ball hockey teams at Erindale were recently insulted by an article written by Tamara Wickens in the January 10, 1994 issue of Medium II. Wickens criticized the female ball hockey team, "Chicks with Sticks" for their politically incorrect name, citing it as degrading and socially irresponsible. Members of Chicks with Sticks believe that by calling themselves "chicks" they are reclaiming a certain power from males who employ the term in an offensive manner. Just as some African-Canadians decide to refer to themselves as "niger", and some homosexuals call themselves "fag", females take back what was once seen as an offensive term, "chick", and attempt to reduce

the words power to offend. We are fully aware that "words have meanings which take on larger social and cultural contexts" we are women attempting to change the social and cultural contexts of words that can be offensive, not perpetuate the stereotypes. We are not "ignorant" women who do not understand the meaning of the term "chick" as Ms. Wickens believes. We are women who are attempting to break down our societies stereotypes by creating a team in what has traditionally been a sport dominated by males. The women on the ball hockey teams at Erindale wish to count on Ms. Wickens support in this endeavour, not ruthless criticism, Relax chick!

by Helena Misich

Offense taken by players Proud to be Chicks

Dear Editor,

In response to Tamara Wickens' article dated January 10th, "Chicks, dames and other designations may offend" about "the denigration of women [that the team name Chicks with Sticks] implies", we were not sure whether Ms Wickens was the current act at a comedy club, or an Erindale Sports Editor, seemingly abusing her sports editor powers to preach her "so-called" feminist views.

It is difficult for us to believe that Ms Wickens does not know this team personally, yet she does not hesitate to insult us. How? By telling us by using the word Chick, we are putting forth an image of "sexual interest, immaturity, or a mere piece of meat."

If Ms Wickens wants to be taken seriously as a journalist, we strongly recommend that Tamara stop trying to understand what others are "feeling" and implying. As a journalist, is it not her job to research, interview, and, in fact, question the story before she writes one? Every story has two sides, and BOTH must be heard. Until that time, no judgement should be passed.

ATTENTION TAMARA:

It does NOT matter what we are called as long as we KNOW who we are. Team names, such as Chicks with Sticks, Killer Bunnies, Dames of Destruction, and RumRunners, are lighthearted, spirited, and fun because these women players have rock solid identities. We know who we are, Tamara Wickens, who the 'hell' are you?

Diane Grzesik
Diane Wojna
All the Chicks with Sticks

Student's helping hand impresses Prof.

Dear Editor,

When I left Erindale at 4:00 pm during the blizzard on 6 January, I found my car almost drifted over at the North Building.

A young woman student leaving at the same time noticed that my car was in the handicapped space, and stopped to offer help clearing it. The snow was light, so I thanked her and said I could

cope. Before she drove out, she called to me from her car to ensure that I was all right.

I congratulate Erindale on having a student caring and concerned in such unpleasant weather. It would have been much easier to have shovelled her own car and left, but she stopped.

(Dr) Helen Hatton
Dept. of History

Provost's Office Notices of Offence

In accordance with the recommendation of the University Tribunal, I am publishing the following Notice of Offence and the sanctions imposed.

The charges against the student were:

1. THAT in or about April, 1993, she did forge, alter or falsify an academic record contrary to section B.I.3. (a) of the University of Toronto Code of Behaviour on Academic Matters, 1991;

2. THAT in or about April, 1993, she did utter, circulate or make use of a forged, altered or falsified record contrary to section B.I.3.(a) of the University of Toronto Code of Behaviour on Academic Matters, 1991.

In particular, she submitted the second term paper in POL 209Y late. In order to excuse the lateness of the paper she submitted a note handwritten on a medical prescription form. Printed on the top of the form was the name and address of a specialist, with handwriting which read: "(Student's name), 23-3-93, Patient unable to attend school due to severe illness." Although the note was purportedly signed by this specialist, the handwriting and signature on the note were not his and the document was a forged, altered or falsified document.

The jury acquitted the student of charge #1 and found her guilty of charge #2. The jury agreed unanimously to impose the following sanctions:

suspension from the University for a period of two years, beginning September 1994; a grade of "0" in POL 209Y

notation of the sanctions and the reasons for them to be recorded on her transcript for a period of four years beginning in September 1994;

that the decision be reported to the Provost for publication in the University newspapers, with the name of the student withheld.

Professor A. Sedra
Vice-President and Provost

medium II welcomes letters to the Editor on any issue. Letters are not to exceed 300 wds. in length, and MUST be accompanied by a name and phone number for verification purposes. Names will be withheld upon request. Content which is judged to be racist, homophobic, sexist or libelous will not be published. Letters will be published at the discretion of the Editor and may be edited for brevity. However, they will NOT be edited for spelling or grammar. Priority will be given to new writers and timely topics. Please drop off all submissions to Rm. F18 in the Crossroads Building.

Lack of support from U of T for learning disabled students

Dear Editor,

We are a group of students with learning disabilities at the University of Toronto. We are writing this letter in order to make the university community aware of certain recent developments that threaten to jeopardize the quality of our education and possibly to tarnish the public image of the University of Toronto. We chose to remain anonymous and not to sign this letter individually in order to avoid being singled out as students with learning disabilities with the concomitant personal exposure and humiliation.

Dr. David Neelands, Assistant Vice President for Student Affairs, has recently announced a 30% cut in services provided by the university to students with disabilities, in addition to a substantial reduction in services that has already taken place: the Office of Special Services (Koffler, room 104) is often closed during regular office hours; it is virtually impossible to reach Special Services (978-8060), or the Director Mrs. Eileen Barbeau (978-8061) by phone; and most tutorials and strategy workshops have been canceled.

We appreciate the high quality of service that the university has provided in the past to students with learning disabilities, particularly through the professionalism, dedication and caring attitude of Dr. Uri Shafir and Dr. Pearl Levy, learning disabilities specialists at Special Services. We were also greatly helped by the tutorials and workshops conducted by Dr. Elizabeth Barrett and Mr. Tom Klubi in that office.

We are concerned that Dr. Neelands' current plans will result in the further deterioration of these essential services, for which the University of Toronto receives annually over one million dollars from the Province of Ontario. We feel that Assistant Vice President Neelands and Director of Special Services, Mrs. Eileen Barbeau, should be held publicly accountable to the university

community regarding these developments in the provision of service to students with learning disabilities, as well as to students with other disabilities. In particular, we feel that the following issues should be discussed publicly:

1 Why does the University of Toronto spend about \$150,000 annually on payments to invigilators who supervise extra time on tests and exams for students with disabilities, while other universities and colleges in Ontario found other, more creative - and much less costly - ways to provide similar services?

2 Was a family member of Mrs. Eileen Barbeau, Director of Special Services, hired as an invigilator? If so, when was this person hired and who approved this hiring? How much was this person paid over the years? At what hourly rate?

3 How much did Special Services spend on computer equipment? Is it true that some of this equipment "disappeared" without a trace? Why is most of this equipment locked in a computer lab at OISE? Why is this lab usually closed for weeks on end? Why - on those rare occasions when the lab's door is not locked - are the computers available for our use only for very few hours during the week?

4 Last - but not least - why does Dr. Neelands feel free to act unilaterally and without consultation with us in dictating a 30% cut in services? Did it ever occur to him that us, students with disabilities who are the end-users of these services, and who stand to lose most from such cuts, should be part of the decision-making process?

We hope that this letter will be publicized so that the university community becomes aware of our plight and responds by opening a public discussion regarding services to students with disabilities at the University of Toronto.

From: Students with learning disabilities at the University of Toronto

In accordance with the recommendation of the University Tribunal, I am publishing the following Notice of Offence and the sanctions imposed.

The charges against the student were:

1. that on or about January 28, 1993 he did represent as his own in an academic work and submitted for credit, and idea or an expression of an idea or work of another and/or he aided, assisted, abetted, counseled or conspired with another person to represent as his own in an academic work submitted for credit and idea or an expression of an idea or work of another, contrary to Sections B.I.1. (d) and B.II.1 (a) of the University of Toronto Code of Behaviour on Academic Matters; and

2> that on or about January 28, 1993 he did obtain unauthorized assistance in connection with an academic work or aided, assisted, abetted, counseled or conspired with another person to obtain unauthorized assistance in connection with an academic work, contrary to Section B.I.1 (b) and B.II.1 (a) of the University of Toronto Code of Behaviour on Academic Matters.

In particular, he submitted as his first assignment in CSC 158S a computer printout with his name on it in which each program line, the order of the program lines, the approach to the problem, syntax error and programming techniques of the assignment he submitted were exactly the same as those in the assignment submitted by a fellow student on or about January 28, 1993. In addition, the use of random variables in the assignment of that fellow student.

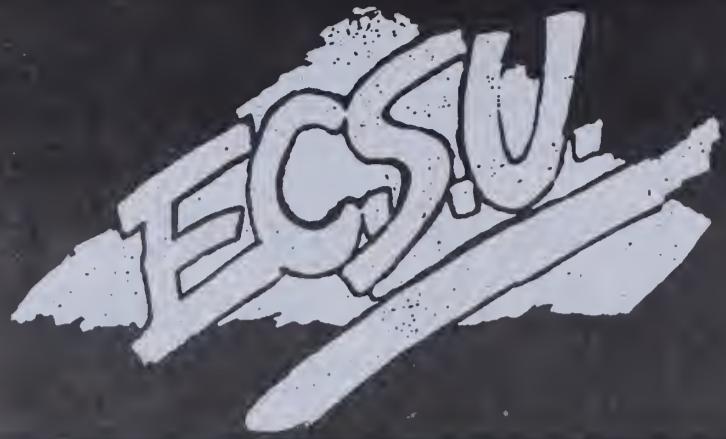
The jury accepted his guilty plea and agreed unanimously to impose the following sanctions:

a written reprimand, with a notation of this reprimand to be recorded on his transcript for a period of two years;

assignment of a grade of "0" in CSC 158S;

reporting of this decision and the sanctions imposed to the Vice-President and Provost for publication in the University newspapers.

Professor A. Sedra
Vice-President and Provost



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 - c) A Country Club - The Manor

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owned by the Hudson's Bay Co., is Canada's largest merchandiser with about \$3.5 billion in sales. Zellers is one of the few analysts who stand to lose the most from Wal-Mart's arrival. But at the same time stores such as Zellers have been expecting Wal-Mart's arrival for several years and have been updating both their technology and positioning in the market.

Long-distance telephone by layoffs, sage says

By DIANA FLAVELL
Business reporter

Price competition in Canada's long-distance telephone industry has produced some unexpected results — not all

GM Canada

By JONATHAN BOER

General Manager, following the American pattern the white-collar people think

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Down and out with a four-year Honors degree

ing blues. Frustration, boredom and insecurity were not solely my burdens to bear.

My girlfriend and I got together with some of my old high-school buddies recently for dinner, drinks and catching up. We met at the same restaurant where we had spent so many adolescent weekends eating honey-garlic wings, picking through party plates of nachos and bad the movie we had just seen was.

er a year. When we graduated high-school five years ago, we tried to stay in universities and made different friends. Our get togethers became less every few months which became once or twice a year. We grew apart. Then began Real Life. We did not have time for ourselves, let alone each other. more. We ordered the wings and asked the inevitable questions: "How are w?" As the answers emerged, we found that we had not grown so far apart

"n" job yet. We are almost all underemployed, working at temporary jobs full-time, it is in dead-end positions which bear little resemblance to what we

use our failures with phrases like "It's a job" and "It's money".

vising the assembly of brewery merchandise; she wants to work with men-

ts. Mike worked at a gift shop over Christmas selling potpourri and has now

nd him work; he wants to be a CA. Mark manages Mike's store but will be

We are all members of Generation X, I suppose—in our mid-twenties, ambitious and university educated, working at positions with no real future.

We dream of paying health club dues, deciding whether to go to Jamaica or maybe Puerto Vallarta for the holidays and trading in the Sprint for a Taurus. Right now though, we just dream of making a living.

my food and video rentals.

a freelance writer. However, I want to be a successful freelance writer. My bbling busily, but the money I earn from my efforts barely covers the cost of the rent. I want to write the books that will become the screenplay which next Jurassic Park.

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last year of high-school were the same plans our parents had made in their career, family, retirement. But the world is drastically different today. We most of us have been to Europe, but we seem stuck on the career part of that

worldwide recession, economic restructuring and corporate downsizing to deal "Best wishes and start investing in offshore mutual funds." I am an English to know. No one warned me and I chose something I was interested in.

the best of things. We volunteer our time to worthwhile causes to add polish to our education at local colleges (because it seems we did not learn anything network and schmooze whenever and wherever we can, because it really isn't, you know?)

nder steaming plates of luscious honey-garlic wings, pick through piles of bad our lives have become.

ive. For recent U of T graduates, the Permanent Employment Service (PES) an invaluable source of job opportunities. In May of last year, the Erindale of a survey of 306 PES clients registered with the program between January (the year for which statistics are available). Some of those results are pre-imate that year. Others are pleasantly surprising and even encouraging.

Seventy-five percent of registrants were working at least part-time, however, year before. Likewise, most (83%) were satisfied with their jobs, but this figures.

obs—22%—are still being discovered through newspaper ads despite the such ads. Alternative job-search methods such as making coldcalls and using d, perhaps because of the lack of success of more traditional methods like submitting resumes directly to prospective employers.

ng the job search easy. Student expectations have also been lowered as the students seem relieved just to have been able to find a job.

Eve Ennor, Director of Erindale's Career Centre.

drastically in the last few years. Companies are spending a lot less to create back staff making do with fewer employees to become more competitive. It affected the way the Career Centre operates?

asized how to tap the hidden job market, and now there's even more hidden hired without advertising anywhere; it was just through word of mouth. to terms with what they're interested in and target that, and to know how to work to encourage people to focus and teach people to do it on their own. graduates at finding jobs compared to past graduates?

way of permanent jobs. There's much less of "start here and work your way

up the ladder." The ladder just doesn't seem to be there anymore. And there's much more of "work part-time, work temporary, you get in, you get out."

The disadvantage is no security. The advantage is that you can gather a whole range of different skills and experiences and knowledge that might hold you in good stead (with a temporary employer). And you can get a breadth of experience you could not have acquired otherwise.

It's definitely taking (graduates) longer (to find work). And a big challenge for us today is to keep people positive.

Q: What are the best ways to maintain that enthusiasm?

EE: I think it's really important to put a structure on the search and set daily goals and weekly goals about what you want to accomplish. Really have a plan. Students had to organize their time at school. (This) is just a continuation of that. But make room for leisure time. Make sure you keep social contacts.

It's really good too if you can find someone else who is looking for work as well, and perhaps you may agree to work together and to give each other ideas and to keep each other positive.

And it really helps too if people can continue part-time work on from school. At least if you're doing that, you feel you're contributing and you're getting money to pay the bills and the expense of the job search ... or rent or food.

Q: How can undergraduates improve their chances of getting full-time work upon graduation?

EE: What employers are saying more and more is "We want some demonstrated interest in our organization, in the type of work we do, or some demonstrated skill."

For instance, you want to work in a bank. If you've worked as a Customer Service person at Canada Trust, you have a sense of what it's like in that environment. So you're less of a risk to hire. But if you come in saying "I'm eager and I'm enthusiastic. Just teach me. I'm in Economics and I'm interested in this", they want more of a demonstration of interest, whether it's paid, part-time or volunteer work.

If you're interested in something like Human resources, make sure you know what Human resources expects. You can prepare yourself by talking to people in a given field, seeing what's expected so that when you do conduct your job search, you'll be more marketable, more prepared.

Upcoming Career Centre Events

(Note: The Career Centre is there for you, the Erindale student, to use. Get to know it! Run, hop, skip, or jump over to Room 3094 in the South Building to research universities around the world. Browse through summer job listings. Get your resume critiqued. Find a place to volunteer your time to, or research the career area of your choice. Phone 828-5451.)

A volunteer fair

Date: Wed, January 19, 1994. Time: 11 am-2 pm. Place: The Meeting Place. Find out about volunteer opportunities in: Social Agencies, Schools, Within Erindale College, The Business Community.

'94 Grads - Getting Started with a Job Search

Date: Wed Jan. 26 Time: 4-5 pm Place: The Career Centre

How to Land a Better Summer Job?

Date: Jan. 26 Time: 12-1pm Place: The Career Centre

Exploring Career Directions Workshop

Tue., Feb. 15, 1994 (READING WEEK). Sign up by Feb. 11

Digging Up Unadvertised Jobs

Thurs., Feb. 17, 1994. Sign up by Feb. 11. A Practical workshop to give you the skills to explore the jobs that you don't see or hear about. Remember: 80% of jobs are never advertised.

Extern: A career exploration program

A mini co-op program to gather career info and help you make the right decisions! Opportunities in almost every field.

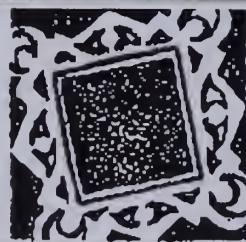
Program runs after final exams from May 9-13, 1994. Application deadline: Fri., Feb. 25, 1994.

New! A volunteer registry

Volunteer jobs in the community - social agencies, schools, businesses, etc. are now being listed. As well, we're developing a volunteer program in departments at Erindale. Get career experience, develop contacts and help others. Ask for details.



Long lineups are familiar eyesores at most Ontario Unemployment Centers.



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For No Reason Responds: Erindale's Art Show



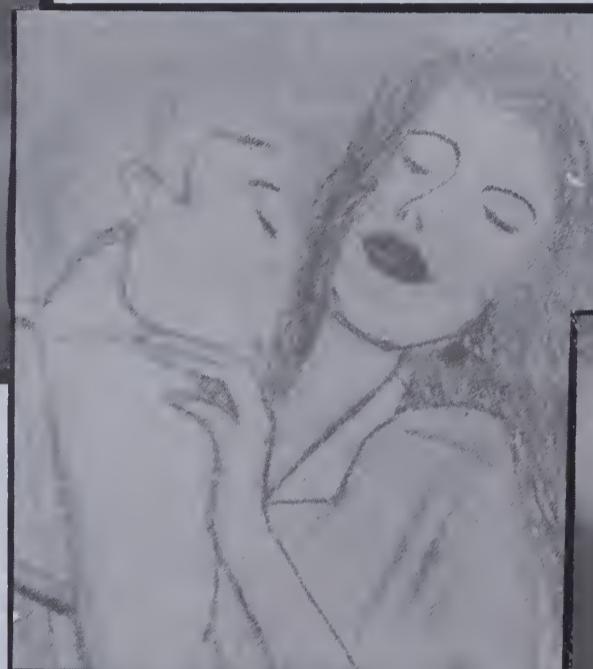
by Jenny Huynh

The great literary theorist and linguist, Roman Jakobson, asked the profound question, "What is literariness?" when speaking of literature. We, the organizers of For No Reason, find relevance in applying Jakobson's question to the context of the For No Reason Art Show. What is art? For No Reason asks this question but provides no answer. Unhindered by theoretical explanations of aesthetics, For No Reason allows art to metamorphosize into poetry, dramatic performances, dances, sculptures and paintings.

The preceding paragraph may be a pedantic way to introduce a response to a particular comment (which was particularly badly written) made about the Art Show. Badly written (aside from its obvious syntactical errors and awkward usage) because it insulted and did not instruct. Badly written because it derided; it did not criticize. This Anonymous Commentator harbors misconceptions which we would like to address. We apologize if the medium of our response seems excessive; however, since

we are not omnipotent and cannot expose the commentator's identity, the medium II will provide the perfect vehicle to address both those who criticized and those who appreciated the show.

Our Anonymous Commentator called for a "screening process", implying that such a process would provide the show with prestige and respectability. However, the nature of our show is NON-COMPETITIVE, and it is open to all students in any program. (As you can see, we do not harbor any elitist views of art, and we do not possess a monopoly on the defini-



tion of "art".) The Art Show provided an opportunity for artists to display their works and receive feedback. More importantly, the show was designed for the students of Erindale - potential purchasers of art. It is the prerogative of these consumers to "screen" and judge whether works are artistic or unartistic - if they wish to do so. Furthermore, on the issue of respectability, if money is an indicator of value, then the offers for certain works in the show that we received may be telling indicators of the level of integrity of "this ... stuff".

With respect to the Anonymous Commentator's attacks that the show was an "embarrassment" and the works are just "stuff", we challenge him/her to gather enough courage to enter his/her work next year and let the work stand up to the scrutiny of the student body, as this year's works had to stand up to unjust scrutiny and damnation by one particular student. This particular individual claims to have the authority to speak on behalf of the "majority" of the students in the art's program. We challenge this claim. We agree that the show needs improvement, and we will improve. We welcome all constructive criticisms that can help us achieve a level of excellence. Lastly and most importantly, we wish to express our sincerest thanks to the students who came to see the show, the artists who donated their works and time, the clubs that challenged the myth that school spirit is dead, Radio Erindale which gave us groovy tunes, and the volunteers - all who made the For No Reason Art Show a success. The show will be bigger and better next year, and we hope that we have established what will be a long-standing tradition. We shall be back!



Upcoming Events for the month of January

Music

Paul James Band
Boomer's
January 20

Tea Party
The Hangar
January 20

The Waltons
The Hangar
January 28

hHead
Lee's Palace
January 28



Theatre

The Brady Bunch Live
Left Bank
January 26

One Flew Over The Cuckoo's Nest
Leah Posluns Theatre
January 20

Festival of Original Theatre
Graduate Centre for the Study of Drama
February 2 - 6

Hamlet
Canadian Stage Upstairs Theatre
January 6 - 22



General

Canadian Heritage Floor Galleries
Royal Ontario Museum
February 19

Evita
University College Follies
February 3 - 5

Pure Motives
The Theatre Centre
February 3 - 20

Alvin Ailey American Dance Theatre
O'Keefe Centre
February 3 - 5

Hollywood deals with homophobia in *Philadelphia*

Dealing with the topic of AIDS is a difficult task. Jonathan Demme took the task in hand and by all accounts he did a superb job in directing *Philadelphia*.

Philadelphia is the first multi-screen movie, thus far, that deals solely with the topic of AIDS. Demme took a chance on the

Song-and-Dance
with
Jennifer Peter
and Tamara Wickens



performances of Tom Hanks and Denzel Washington, and the sensibilities of *Philadelphia*'s audiences, to make it the success it is.

Philadelphia is poignant portrayal of the violation of the human rights of a dying man, Andrew Beckett, played by Tom Hanks. Beckett is a brilliant, young, innovative attorney who was once revered by his employer until they discovered he had AIDS and subsequently fired him. Beckett immediately blames the firm's homophobia for his termination. Their discrimination is a crime, by law. His lawsuit is the central theme of *Philadelphia*.

For most who are aware of the facts about AIDS, *Philadelphia* is a godsend. Finally, the lives lost to AIDS, and the myths surrounding it, are addressed.

For those who are ignorant, and perhaps somewhat homophobic, this movie is a nightmare.

Joe Miller, Beckett's attorney, played by Denzel Washington, is as homophobic as Beckett's employers, a fact which he openly displays. Although Miller feels this way, we respected his character immensely for his candor. Although he did not agree with Beckett's lifestyle, he knew the law had been broken and uses the law, and its apparent blindness, to uphold Beckett's rights.

Demme brilliantly addressed people's fears of homosexuality and AIDS. Each character in

Philadelphia holds a secret bias toward homosexuals which is brought out into the open. Despite attempts to accuse Beckett for knowingly contracting AIDS, for

"bringing it into their office", and somehow blaming him for his own inevitable death, the movie blatantly screams 'stop the ignorance.' It tells its audience that AIDS, like cancer, is not merciful and that Beckett did not choose to die. In its portrayal, *Philadelphia* asks you to reach into your heart for compassion and to search for the truth.

For some, *Philadelphia* may disappoint but we felt it was one of the best movies we have seen in a long time.

Philadelphia addresses many issues, but most importantly it asks you not to judge someone's sexuality. It tells you that homosexuality is not a sleazy pit of lust and immoral sexuality that should be condemned.

We couldn't have imagined anyone else who would have portrayed Andrew Beckett as well as Tom Hanks does, despite not being gay, or dying of AIDS himself.

Denzel Washington's character was eye-opening. He did an excellent job of representing the fears that many people have about AIDS. His character dealt with his own inhibitions, yet they did not enter into his defense.

Despite superb performances, many in the audience were uncomfortable. In a specific scene in which men dance together and openly expressed their affection, people in the audience laughed. This reaction, to say the least proved that *Philadelphia*'s time had come.

Pericles, Prince of Tyre: a romantic story of love, loss and reunion

by Brock Young

Following the success of *The Farm Show*, Theatre Erindale is moving on to bigger and better things with its production of William Shakespeare's *Pericles, Prince of Tyre*, a romance of truly epic proportions. According to the director, Mimi Mekler, *Pericles*, is "a sweeping story of love, loss and reunion."

The play covers six years in the span of twenty years and at least two miracles. Princes, pirates and prostitutes all blend in this old fable with a timely message of love and remembrance."

The cast of eleven, together with a large crew, have created a production draped in rich sounds, smells and especially textures. These qualities give the production a magical, mysterious aura.

The designs of Tamara Rigby, a Sheridan College student, give *Pericles* its rich texture. These

designs have been brought to life through the time and efforts of the first and second year students in the Theatre Drama Studies program these designs are brought to life.

Selected fabrics have been used to create everything from the colorful costumes to the backdrops that surround the set in rich, earth-tones. Truly this production of *Pericles* is spectacular, Erindale might not see the likes of it again for quite some time.

This is an opportunity no one at Erindale should miss; the production values alone, as well as the calibre of the acting, rival anything that is playing downtown. And it is right in our own backyard. *Pericles* is a production that MUST be seen to be believed. It runs from Thursday February 3 until Saturday February 5, with a matinee performance on Saturday. The theatre should be commended on its well done job in putting together this production of *Pericles*.

What does Ryme with Orange? Syringe is as close as it gets.



The band Rymes with Orange. One of the newer bands out on the market for you listening pleasure.

What does Ryme with Orange you ask? Near as I can figure, syringe is as close as it gets. But soon after the novelty of the name wears off, so too

C.D. Review

Rymes with Orange

by Manfred Sittmann

Concert date:

February 4

does that of the band.

To begin with, two things make me wary of the band even before I have heard them. The first is when they chose to accompany their press copy C.D. with approximately ten pages of what other critics have said about them. Like that makes the slightest difference in how I will judge them. The second being when their first single and biggest hit is a cover song.

It took me longer to filter through Rymes With Orange's

massive press kit, than it did to listen to their debut album *Peel*. When I finally did manage to get through it, I had a very different opinion of the band than I did before, that's for sure. For better or worse.

Led by Manchester born Lyndon Johnson, R.W.O. does have a very danceable, groovy sort of thing happening, which is important to note because I think that is what they were going after. Continuing on the up-side, Johnson has a great voice and exhibits it freely. The backbeats and baselines only seem to add to the band's anthem-like style.

On the down-side, *Peel*'s sound does seem a little contrived. Comparisons between R.W.O. and the likes of U2 and INXS have been made inevitable as a direct result of R.W.O.'s seeming compulsion to try to sound like them. Also,

not to be flippant, am I the only one who noticed that the drum beat didn't change for most of the album? Don't get me wrong, if this is the sort of sound that you find yourself attracted then these guys could very well become your next favorite.

Unfortunately I have an intense dislike for those aforementioned bands, so anything that uses them as a focal point has a poor chance of appealing to me.

If you have become intrigued by R.W.O. from hearing their cover of the Small Faces' "Itchycoo Park" or single "Memory Fades" on the airwaves, or from seeing them on the recently-aired Mountain Madness Comedy Special, you can pick up a copy of *Peel* just about anywhere or check them out live at the Horseshoe in Toronto on February 4th.

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Theatre overstepping the Boundaries of Convention

by Mary Luz Mejia

Playwright Elliott Hayes' *Homeward Bound* opened to an eager audience on Thursday, January 13 at the St. Lawrence Centre for the Performing Arts. The play, which has been called a "black comedy of manners", deals with the many intricacies of middle-class life in the nineties.

The action revolves around Bonnie and Glen Beacham's decision to invite their children, Nick and Norris and their families to dinner and for an unexpected announcement. The patriarch of the family calmly declares because of his terminal illness, he no longer wishes to continue living. As the couple reveal Glen's desire to commit suicide, chaos ensues in the form of several unsolicited revelations from other family members. We are left with a potpourri of sub-plots. Euthanasia, Nick's partner Guy's alcoholism, and Norris' pregnancy and infidelity are but a few of these personal discoveries.

Hayes has the uncanny knack of turning subjects with a history of taboo into the humorously ordinary. For example death, is dealt with both candidly and philosophically as Glen and Bonnie debate whether it is preferable to be murdered or to commit suicide. Despite their conclusions, Bonnie pointedly states "the middle class is not really affected by anything except taxes." The fact, is there is much con-

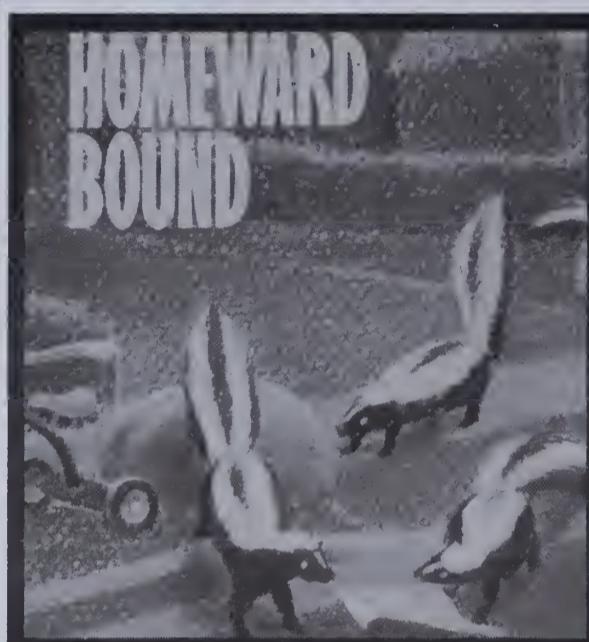
fusion about 'normality' and its definition, especially in today's changing society. For the Beachams, however, one fact remains a constant in their credo: "euthanasia is the epitome of decadence."

Despite all their attempts at communication, the Beachams are caught in a quagmire of monosyllables, and misunderstanding. The ever-neurotic Norris, for example, assaults her brother with "I know you talk about me behind my back to my face." Margaret Atwood correctly observes in her review of the play that the Beachams are experiencing the inability to express themselves, as "language itself is losing the ability to signify."

There is much food for thought in this play, and the provocative performances of Barbara Byrnes as Bonnie, and Douglas Rain as Glen Beacham add to this. Michelle Fisk as Norris and Tom Wood as Nick were ideal in their respective roles as the neurotic and apathetic offspring of the spirited older couple.

The pristine middle-class conventions of yesterday have been exposed. Simplistic notions of a romanticized society are, as Hayes has depicted in *Homeward Bound*, more of an unrealistic fantasy than a plausible reality.

If you're up for some comic relief and a Beacham slice of life, I suggest you amuse yourselves with this fast-paced play. It will keep even the most sophisticated viewer interested.



The Canadian Stage Companies production of *Homeward Bound* (no it is not the Disney production).

by Jennifer Peter

Last Wednesday evening I had the pleasure of watching the New Yorker Theatre's production of *Forever Plaid*. Well, it was sort of a pleasure. The play wasn't too bad, but it was more of a concert than a theatrical performance. Granted I knew nothing about this play before I went to see it, but I guess I expected quite a bit, considering that I have seen better performances at my nephew's grade two school plays. Okay, maybe that's a bit harsh; grade twos don't act quite as well, but they aren't that far off.

The play, which was filled with singing, began with a prologue telling of events preceding the performance and bringing the audience to the purpose of the play. The audience finds out that all members of a group called "The Plaids" were killed in a car accident on their way to their first concert.

The "Plaids" enter the stage and we learn they have been wandering for thirty years and have now been given the chance to perform the concert that never was.

The bulk of the play was a song and dance routine of 50's songs. There wasn't a lot of what most would consider acting. The audience, though, was invited to participate: we were asked questions and one person was asked to participate in the performance. She was put on the stage and asked to play a piece on the piano. After she was given an album to put her name in and become an honorary plaid. I thought this was an interesting twist to the play. Involving the audience made the play more fun.

Foundation supports Canadian musicians

by Kevin Sager

foundation's support of the independent recording industry.

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by Jennifer Peter

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Nice and Laid back

by Steve Viau

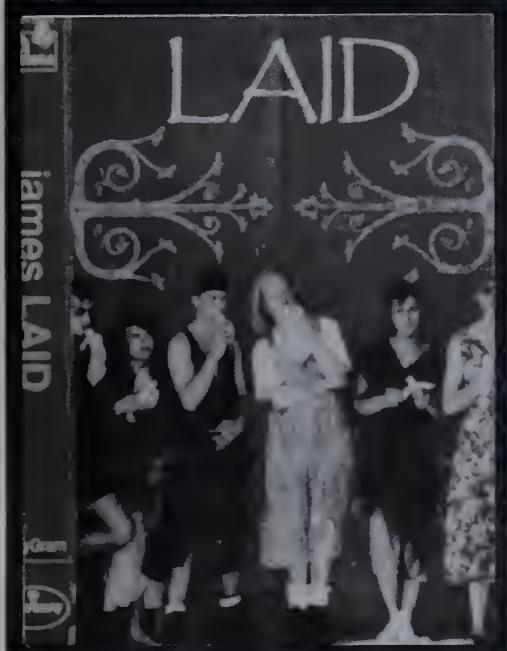
Often bands plug away in relative obscurity for many years before suddenly becoming the next big thing. James has been touted as the next big thing virtually since their inception in 1983. Commercial success however didn't completely arrive until 1992's release *Seven*.

James quickly followed *Seven* with *Laid*, a powerfully melodic record. *Laid* quietly entertains throughout, demanding that you tap or sing along while subtly encouraging a secondary, more in depth listen to the often intelligent lyrics.

Laid was produced by veteran pop icon Brian Eno, who also contributed some back up vocals, bass and keyboard work. On working with Eno, Tim Booth, James' lead singer, said "he encouraged us to improvise and take chances...it was a very productive time."

Originally James was a three members group, but a progressive desire to experiment with sounds and limits pushed that number to seven. It now rests at six and the range of sound this allows for is wonderful. *Laid* showcases all of their talents perfectly and the promise of a stunning live show is readily apparent.

James is appearing live next Thursday, January 20. Check listings for details.



James, an overnight success story, are making new fans with their latest release *Laid*.

Spielberg's *Schindler's List* starkly realistic

by Ming-ya Huang

Over the holidays, I decided to take in a movie. Little did I know that I would be absolutely overwhelmed. The extraordinary movie I saw was *Schindler's List*, a movie about the holocaust by Stephen Spielberg. It was filmed in black and white, making the events of that time more stark and raw. Liam Neeson is a powerful and moving actor who reflects the moral strength, compassion and courage as well as the smoothness of Oskar Schindler, a German-Catholic who saved 1100 Jews during one of the darkest times in history.

The movie also portrays the cruelty and violence of the Nazis toward the Jews. In one scene, Nazi soldiers scour and evacuate a Jewish ghetto to assure themselves that there would be no remains of the Jews and that the Jews would not exist in history books.

Ralph Fiennes puts in a strong performance as the deranged and bloody Nazi leader, Goeth. The movie also stars Ben Kingsley, as the quiet and intelligent right hand man of Oskar Schindler. Every scene is played with feeling. In this movie, one cannot but help being moved by the terror and violence aimed at one people. Stephen Spielberg has created a movie that will not be soon forgotten. This movie should not be missed.

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Sports

Men's Div. I hockey Warriors tie Skule in close match

by Ted Henley

Erindale's Men's Division I Ice Hockey team tied Engineering 3-3 Friday night to begin the second half of the season.

Engineering was lucky to come away with a tie as the Warriors came on strong in the second period. The first period, however, for Erindale was not so agreeable. Engineering was dominating the game, not because of superior play on their part, but because of the sloppy play by the Warriors. Missed passes, sluggish checks, and foolish penalties slowed Erindale enough to allow Skule to pop three quick goals.

After a stern discussion of the team's play by coach Greg Dobson, Erindale mounted their attack in the second period. Scoring for the Warriors were Ezra Kulczycki, Dave Norton, and Wayne Bartelink. Bartelink also earned an assist along with Mike Vidas, Milos Solc, Nando Berti, Jason Lindsay, and Ted Henley.

Forward Jeff Floyd injured his ankle in the game, but is expected



Plagued with cheap penalties and injuries, the Warriors could not muster the strength to take Engineering in their first match of the year.

to return in less than a week.

As mentioned, despite sloppy play in the first period, the Warriors played a promising second period. This confidence,

coupled with the fact that the fact the team is stronger this year, should fare the team well as they play for gold in Sudbury. If you see a player wish him good luck,

and possibly lend him a toque - as the tournament is in Northern Ontario - not warm Mississauga.

Thanks go out to all the people who supported both the men's

and women's team throughout the year through the purchasing of 50/50 Draw tickets, baseball caps and chocolate almonds. Your supports is appreciated.

Women's hockey team boasts blowout over Trinity 14-3

by C.A. Lewis

The Erindale Women's Interfaculty Ice Hockey team laced up their skates to begin the second half of their season.

Coming from last season's record of 3-2-2, the coaches were optimistic that the women's team would better their record.

From the outset the Warriors dominated the game as almost everyone on the roster recorded either a goal or an assist.

Wearing track pants during the game, it became apparent that Trinity was not at all serious about the game. Erindale coasted to an easy 14-3 victory which improves their record to 4-2-2.

In anticipation of their upcoming Sudbury Intercollege Tournament this weekend, the Women Warriors began with a fierce rush on Trinity's net which seriously confused their goalie. The goal scoring spree began with a quick wrist shot by Deneen Frayle, followed by a goal by Alice Turner.

Working like a finely oiled machine, the Warriors worked as a team to rack up 6-1 lead by the end of the first period.

With solid direction by coaches Chris Wanschura and Steve



Erindale's Women's Ice Hockey team boasts their first win of the New Year. They beat Trinity 14-3.

Galdenzi the final score left Trinity dusting the ice shavings off their skates.

In the spirit of team work, all team members had a hand in the win. Alice Turner and Carrie Sluser earned a hat trick each, while Maria Kappos landed 2 goals and 2 assists.

Emily Pilon recorded 1 goal

and 1 assist, while Deneen Frayle added a goal and 2 assists. Marianne Preuzic, Allison Hahnfield, Rebecca Harrison and Kathleen McDermott each earned 1 assist each.

Rounding off the scoring spree were Cindy-Ann Lewis with 1 goal and Sheila Malloy

with 1 goal and 2 assists.

The Women Warriors' next game will be this Wednesday, January 19 at 7pm at Varsity Arena. From there the women's team will head to Sudbury.

Thank you to all those people who supported the women's team in their fundraising activities.

RANKINGS

Hitmen
Devilled Eggs
Still Smokin'
Del Lords
CCCP
Cherry's Kids
Sons of Jerrel

Panthers
Streethawks
Charlie's
AngelsChainmen
BBC
DDWU
All B's
Mrs. Buttafuoco
Young Guns
Young Bloods

Killer Bunnies
Never 2 Trashed
Black Diamonds
RumRunners
Squared and Buried

Cherry Kids come close to beating Hitmen

by Darryl Rankin, Ted Henley, Kais Aziz, Mike Prencipe, and Tamara Wickens

Banished Utopians 4 Vipers 3

It looks like the free agent signings and trades have worked out well for the Banished Utopians as former Aphasia defenceman, Sal Catalano, led the way with 3 assists.

Two recent Screaming Vikings picked up earlier in the week scored a pair against the Vipers, who continue to impress. Rumour has it they could even make the playoffs this year in an easy division with good goaltending from Gabe Butto.

The Vipers could be the second free agent team in Eridale history to make the playoffs. Frank Arinez of the Vipers did most of their damage with a goal and an assist.

BBC 7 Glaciers 0

BBC improved their power play and penalty-killing skills in this game when the Glaciers decided they weren't going to play hockey anymore. BBC decided to take revenge for their meek offensive showing as Clayton Kolley scored 2 goals for BBC and, along with Sajel Patel, totally aggravated the opposition's goaltender who was almost ejected from the game. In total, four players received 1-game suspensions because of the 3 minor penalty rule. Gary Tiburcio had five penalties, Pun Chan had four penalties and Rob Moore had three penalties for the Glaciers. Aaron Polesky couldn't resist and received three penalties of his own at the end of the game for BBC.

Mrs Buttafuoco 4 Charlie's Angels 4

The crowd and seemingly the officials were against the Angels in this game as the #2-rated Angels received 24 minutes in penalties and blew an early 3-1 lead. Brian Henderson was the hero for Mrs. Buttafuoco, scoring a goal and two assists. Mrs. Buttafuoco, the #8-ranked team, played a smart game by taking advantage of the many power play opportunities to score three of their four goals. Scoring for the Angels was Claudio Di Carlo with a goal and an assist and 3

penalties in the first five minutes of the game. Late in the game it was Anthony Greer who tied the game up for good, which saved the Angels from dropping too far down in the rankings. The tie moves Mrs. Buttafuoco up to fifth place in the overall rankings.

DDWU 9 XXX-Men 0

DDWU easily covered the spread this week by trouncing the hapless XXX-Men 9-0. Leading the way for the Ducks was Paul Paradine with 4 goals and 1 assists. Paradine was clearly the best player on the court as he effortlessly picked apart the XXX-Men's inept defencemen. Also contributing for the Ducks was Matt Barrese with 3 goals and 2 assists while Vince De Marinis had a single. Although facing only six shots, honourable mention goes to Ducks goalie, Dylan Riendeau, who recorded the shutout nonetheless. The only positives for the XXX-Men are that they possibly have the best uniforms in the EBHL this year.

a quick goal by John Zovco.

Jamir Hynel of Young Guns responded with a goal but it was short-lived as Dario Belavic scored a nice goal on another power play to give the Legends a 2-1 lead.

Tony Aiello came back to tie it up again for the Young Guns. With seconds remaining, "Mr.

response from the Dark Knights was a series of cheap penalties totalling 15 minutes and resulting in one ejection.

Jason Bond was the star of this game, recording 3 goals, while the Sutherland brothers recorded 4 goals and an assist themselves. Chris Cuddy and Gary McDonald also recorded a goal each in the

Brian Currie followed up 30 seconds later with an unassisted goal giving them a 2-1 lead.

Abbas Khan, in his usual smooth way scored a nice goal in the second period to widen the point gap to 2. Steve Naudie respond with a goal for the Kids in the second period, but it was not enough to give the Kids the

Time	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
8:00	Never 2 Trashed vs. Best In the World			Rascals vs. Dames	Church Ladies vs. Chicks with Sticks
9:00	Church Ladies vs. Black Diamonds			President's Choice vs. Young Bloods	Predator's vs. Underwater Firefighters
10:00	All B's vs. Purgatory	Funky Divas vs. Squared and Buried	Dark Knights vs. Panthers	Cold Filtered vs. FOB's	Vipers vs. Brew Crew
11:00	Banished Utopians vs. Glaciers	DDWU vs. Upright Hamburgers	Hitmen vs. Still Smokin'		Vikings vs. Young Guns
12:00	RumRunners vs. Squared and Buried	CCCP vs. Sons of Jerrel	Devils vs. Del Lords		Killer Bunnies vs. Dames of Destruction
1:00	College Knights vs. Cherry's Kids	No Name vs. Punishers		Killer Bunnies vs. Rum Runners	Streethawks vs. Stangs
2:00			Chainmen vs. Way Outs	Charlies' Angels vs. Untouchables	
4:00	Legend Is Black			Black Diamonds vs. Best In the World	

■ denotes Games of the Week

BETTING LINE

All B's by 3 over Purgatory
Banished Utopians by 2 over Glaciers
Legend is Black by 1 over Unknowns
DDWU by 6 over Upright Hamburgers
CCCP by 2 over Sons of Jerrel
No name by 3 over Punishers
Panthers by 7 over Dark Knights
Hitmen by 1 over Still Smokin'
Devilled Eggs by 2 over The Lords
Crazy Chainmen by 3 over Wayouts
Young Bloods by 4 over President's Choice
Cold Filtered by 3 over FOB's
Charlie's Angels by 3 over Untouchables
Predators by 1 over Underwater Firefighters
BBC by 2 over Vipers
Streethawks by 6 over Stangs
All the President's Men by 1 over XXX Men
Alter Boys by 1 over Team Vu

Young Guns 3 Legend is Black 2

With only seven seconds in the game Ken Hartman made EBHL history by earning the earliest penalty when he laid a punishing body check on one of Legend's players. The Legend is Black took advantage of this power play opportunity earning a 1-0 lead on

Physical" Ken Hartman scored the winner with a wicked wrist shot to the top corner to seal the victory for the Young Guns.

Team Vu 10 Dark Knights 1

From start to finish Team Vu dominated the game with an onslaught of goals. The only

effort.

Scoring the lone goal for the Dark Knights was Winston Rodrigues.

Warranting mention are the six Dark Knight penalties which can only be attributing to their lack of scoring punch. Ian Egle will face the review board this week.

It should be noted however, that Chris Cuddy also received 2 minors and it was remarked that he is a dirty player.

Hitmen 4

Cherry's Kids 3

With some of the sharpest shooters assembled in one place the fans thought they were in for the Game of the week.

Cherry's Kids had its usual small bench which did not hinder their play at all. Starting off the scoring for the Kids was newcomer Sean Henderson, who took everyone by surprise with 2 goals. His aggressive play and quick moves will add to the Kids.

Scoring for the Hitmen was newcomer Irfan Shah on a quick breakaway which took the Kids goalie by surprise. Defenceman

win.

Pete Perrone finished it off to make the score 4-3 for the Hitmen.

Still Smokin' 6 CCCP 1

After suffering the suspensions of two of their players, Rob Sopov and Harry Nagra, CCCP had to come up with a miracle if they were to win this game. They picked up Dave Sarathy and Mark Radosevic to compensate.

Still Smokin' came on with a vengeance with 2 goals from Tom Cosentino and 2 from Greg Milner, who also recorded an assist.

Angelo DiMichele and Vince Mazzei scored a goal each as well. Scoring the lone goal for CCCP was ex-Beast John Rinaldi..

Over 21 minutes in penalties were recorded in this game.

College Knights Del Lords

The College Knights defaulted again and have been forced to disband.

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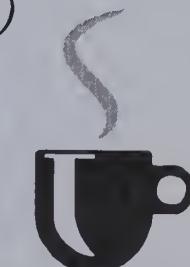
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The first week of women's league is full of upsets

by Tamara Wickens

Little Rascals 2 Funky Divas 2

In the first game of the women's ball hockey season, two evenly matched teams came out with a tie. Last year's rookies, the Funky Divas, took the veteran Little Rascals, by surprise. Cuc Duong was the lone star for the Divas. She scored two goals for them and the Divas' defense brilliantly held off the Rascals defense until the last three minutes of the game.

Meredith Williams, goalie for the Divas, illustrated her net-minding prowess by holding off most goal attempts. Jan Brunton came through for the Rascals in the final minutes with a goal, closing the gap to 1 point. Hardeep Grewal followed it up minutes later to tie the game.

Black Diamonds 4 Chicks with Sticks 0

The Black Diamonds illustrated how much practice they've had by quickly defeating the Chicks With Sticks 4-0. Despite putting forth an excellent effort in their first game, the Chicks could not muster the strength to score a single goal. Honourable mention goes to Tracey Canney and Marla Peruzza who showed excellent promise.

Sonya Franzini, Rosa Bertucci, Grace DiMichele and Kathy Mavromatis each scored a goal for the Diamonds. It should be noted that Bertucci and Franzini both illustrated the skills to make

them a force to be reckoned with in future games.

Never 2 Trashed 6 Church Ladies 0

The Trashed squad came on with a vengeance in this match against the Church Ladies. Perhaps placing top forward, Loura John, in net was not a wise choice as Carol Jamieson was alone in maintaining their offensive force.

Sharon Good recorded a hattrick in this relatively clean game. Sabina Nimz, Kendra Rawlings and Jodie Thomas also scored to give Never 2 Trashed a solid goal cushion to rest on.

The Church Ladies were unable to score on Mandeep Mukkar, although their shots on goal were minimal.

Killer Bunnies 8

Squared and Buried 1

In a clean game the Killer Bunnies brilliantly illustrated their scoring ability and stick-handling skills by defeating S&Q 8-1.

Laura Szarga did the usual, by recording a hattrick. Kelley Kazarian also gained five points with 2 goals and three assists which clearly made her the point leader in this game. Kirsti Haaka recorded two goals while Leanne Marco scored 1 as well.

I am content with the way things are... for now

After the first week of ball hockey and my first instalment of *Revelations* I have discovered many things about myself and others.

Revelations

from Tamara Wickens

have a hard time adjusting, with a new team and all. Fortunately, the free agents we picked up and the other players we have, have the makings of a finely tuned machine... with practice. We got lucky to say the last to have created such a team that is so gung-ho on playing as a team, which is the whole point of playing anyway.

It looks as if the women's league will be full of surprises and upsets. So many rookie teams from last year have improved so much, and even this year's rookies are surprisingly strong teams. The competition is immense yet for some, the penalties are immense.

Prior to my writing the first instalment of *Revelations*, I never imagined the responses I would receive. In the past week at least 30 people have approached me and complimented me on the column and have encouraged me to keep up the good work. After reading two less-than-encouraging letters against it, I was disheartened, however, those people who encouraged me reaffirmed my belief that one day what I do write will be appreciated. That is why I keep this column going. There are things wrong with this place we call Erindale and I can encourage some positive changes, then my job is done.

For some, this motive is lost. For some, I am a tight-ass and have no sense of humour. For those that know me, they know that I am neither. For those who support me, I thank you.

I would like to give a special thanks to someone who really illustrated how 'big' a person she was this week. There is a woman who had some sincere distaste for me. She put that aside to compliment the column to my face. To Jan, I say thank you. Coming from you, it is a true

Black Diamonds 4 Butt Out 0

Although Butt Out was determined to do some physical damage as they earned over 18 minutes in penalties and one game misconduct, the Black Diamonds

Grace DiMichele scored 2 goals, while Sabrina Ceccomancini and Rosa Bertucci each scored one goal to give them the victory.

Never 2 Trashed 3 Chicks With Sticks 0

After some serious regrouping Chicks with Stick came up against the top seeded Never 2 Trashed to hold them to only 3 goals.

Scoring her first goal of the year was Dellarcece Mckenzie, who even surprised herself with the goal.

Wudasic Efrem and Sabina Nimz scored the remaining goal in a persistent attempt to score on netminder Dian Wojna.

The Chicks' effort warrants mention as they were determined to keep Never 2 Trashed at bay long

enough to maintain a relatively solid, though unscored, offensive attempt. Congratulations on a fine effort.

Compared to Berg, Samuelson is a pussy cat

These days it seems everyone has an opinion on the Leafs and how we can make them a little bit better.

Several players have been mentioned in trade talks or as being in Pat Burns' chateau de chien. Since I am painfully opinionated, it seems natural to give my own slant on the happenings in Leaf land.



Dropping the Gloves with Manfred Sittmann

NHL

Doug Gilmour and Dave Andreychuk: No problems here as far as I can see.

Rob Pearson: He has not been the same since his injury. What makes this so frustrating is how well he played before the injury. Maybe another fight like the one he had last year with Kris King is just what the doctor ordered to restore his confidence.

Dmitri Mironov: Finally seems to be playing up to expectations. Mironov has played well on the power play and, what's more, has been above average in his own end.

Wendel Clark: Come back soon, please?

John Cullen: Sure, he hasn't been scoring like early on in the season and has become everyone's favorite scapegoat, but what should be kept in mind however, are his linemates. At the start of the year, Cullen was playing with Clark and Pearson, and was scoring over one point per game. Recently, he has been relegated to playing with the likes of Mark Osbourne, Kent Manderville, and Bill Berg, none of whom could put a puck in the ocean if they were adrift in the Pacific.

Glenn Anderson: Send him to the Olympic team and we'll try really hard to notice that he's gone.

Mike Eastwood: Claims that he has never been in a fight in his life and did not throw a bodycheck until his second year of college. Has admitted to intentionally shying away from physical play. To remind you, Eastwood is 6 foot 3 and weighs close to 220. If I had my way, he would be one of the first Leafs with a one way ticket outta here. Players like him do not deserve to play professional hockey. You may call it a lack of desire; I call it a lack of heart and courage.

Kent Manderville: He finally looks as though he

Squared and Buried 6

Little Rascals 1

In the upset of the week, last year's semi-finalists were roundly defeated by last year's rookie team. It looks as if the acquisition of the Joneses and Rekha Trembath has paid dividends.

Jill Hudson recorded a hatrick while Brenda and Glenda Jones scored a goal each. Laurie Bamford sealed the victory with a goal as well.

Scoring the lone goal for the Rascals was Jan Brunton who seemed to be the Rascals' only offensive player in this game.

Rum Runners 3

Dames of Destruction 0

In their first match of the year the newly reformed RumRunners beat the Dames of Destruction by a mere 3 goals. Despite attempts to score on the Dames, their goalie stopped at least 20 attempts with some tricky saves.

Undergoing a severe facelift the RumRunners acquired the likes of Alice Turner who scored a hattrick on assists from Allison Hahnfield and awesome free agent Su Ozturk. The Dames were tireless in their attempt to hold off the RumRunners but their goalie truly saved them.

has decided to throw his weight around a little. It may be just a coincidence, but in the recent games that he has played with new-found ferocity, he has been chosen a game star twice and the Leafs have not lost.

Bill Berg: In my opinion one of the most loathsome players in hockey today. People complain about Ulf Samuelson, because he plays dirty and won't back it up, but don't seem to realize Berg is the same way. People can talk all they want about his alleged toughness and how smart he is when he turtles and draws another player into a penalty (as evidenced recently with Shane Churla and Shawn Antoski). To me his cowardly displays have been nothing short of sickening. His knee checks and late hits are typical of what the NHL should get rid of. What's more, Burns gives him and Osbourne more ice time than Gilmour and Andreychuk.

Mark Osbourne: True he's a hard worker, an honest hitter and an experienced veteran, but his lack of scoring touch makes him frustrating to watch. I have to keep reminding myself that he's not there to score, but to check, which he does fairly well, so I won't slag him too much.

Mike Krushelnysky: Please don't think that I'm a morbid or mean-spirited person, but his injury has helped the Leafs.

Damien Rhodes: With Potvin as a starter, our backup could be Sportsline's own Ralphie and we'd still be sitting pretty.

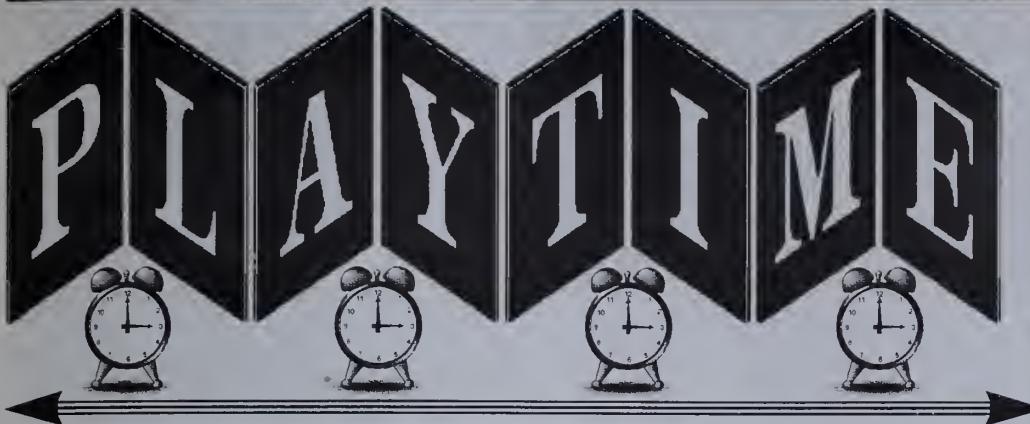
Dave Ellett: Weighs over 200 lbs but plays like he weighs about 160 lbs. He refuses to hit and is beaten badly because of it. To me, he would be the best player to be traded. After all, we have Gill and Mironov for the power play, and the other guys to play as a defensive unit, and for some reason Ellett has a high market value.

Todd Gill, Jamie Macoun, and Bob Rouse: Playing well as a unit. Enough said.

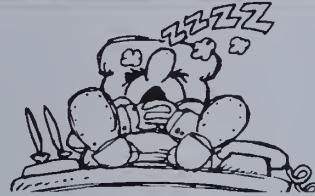
Drake Berehowsky: Your guess is as good as mine. Why has he played so well in the past and is playing so poorly this season? Damned if I know.

Nik Borschevsky: Keep up the good work. A tireless skater who is regaining strength and stamina after suffering a ruptured spleen. His nifty stickhandling makes him one of the most entertaining Leafs to watch.

Peter Zezel: We'll have to wait and see.



Know it All!



All the fun stuff you never learned in school...

How come drinking water doesn't help when you're trying to cool off your mouth after eating spicy food?

We're dealing here with one of the world's most basic truths: oil and water don't mix. The spices in most 'hot' foods are oily. If you try to wash them away with water, the water just rolls off, leaving the oil behind. Fortunately, generations of suffering restaurant customers have worked out several remedies that will work.

One method is to eat bread. The bread absorbs the oil and carries it away. (Make sure you roll the bread around in your mouth a bit before swallowing to sop up as much oil as you can.)

Another solution is to try milk. A substance in the milk called casein acts like a detergent, combining with the oil and washing it away.

Finally, most people seem to like to use alcohol, which dissolves the oil. Seems like the best choice to me!

Suppose I want to make just one slice of toast, but instead of putting the bread in the toaster slot marked 'One Slice,' I use the other slot. What will happen? Will the toaster explode?

No, you won't wreck the toaster, but you might get burned (or underdone) toast. The toaster's thermostat, which measures how hot the toast is, is in or near the 'One Slice' slot. If you turn the toaster on and there's no bread for the thermostat to measure, you take your chances on when the toast will decide to pop up.

Do goats eat tin cans?

No, they just chew them to get at the glue which holds the labels on the cans. Goats love the taste of glue.

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Puzzles

The police were called to the local church to investigate an unusual death. They questioned Mrs. King about the mysterious passing of her husband, Joe. This is her story:

"Old Joe and I were attending Sunday services this morning. Joe had a bad cold, causing him to fall asleep during the sermon. He was dreaming he was a desperate outlaw in the wild west. He had been caught by a posse and sentenced to hang. He was standing on the gallows with a noose around his neck, waiting for the trap door to open under his feet. Just at that moment I noticed Joe was napping - in church of all places. I squeezed the back of his neck to shake him awake. The shock was so great...in view of what he was dreaming...that Joe immediately slumped over, dead from a heart attack."

Could Mrs. King's story be true? Why or why not?



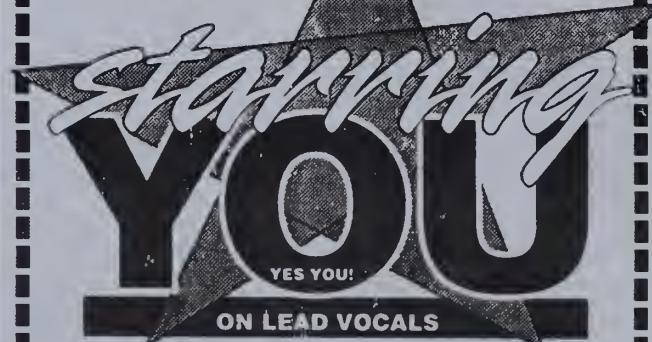
Answers From Last Issue

The numbers on each balloon must total forty-two. They must be grouped as follows:

- 1) 7, 12, 4, 19
- 2) 16, 8, 3, 15
- 3) 13, 1, 10, 18
- 4) 5, 20, 6, 11
- 5) 14, 9, 17, 2



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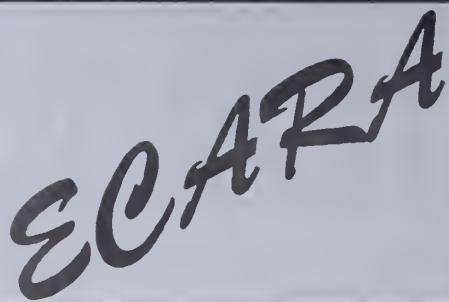


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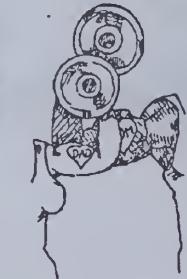
Support Erindale in Upcoming Games

Men's

Mon. Jan 17	Hockey Div 3 vs. Aerospace	Away	11pm
Tues. Jan 18	Volleyball Div 1 vs. Meds	Home	9pm
Sat. Jan 22	Basketball Div 2	Away	7pm
	Hockey Div 2 vs. Devo	Away	7pm

Women's

Mon. Jan 17	Basketball vs. PHE	Home	7pm
Tues. Jan 18	Volleyball Div 2	Home	7pm
Wed. Jan 19	Volleyball B vs. U. C	Home	8pm
	Volleyball A vs. Meds	Away	9pm
	Hockey vs. Scarborough	Away	7pm



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